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July 9th, 1919

Gilbert S. Jackson, Esq.,

Garland.

Dear Mr. Jackson:

Professor Seyer has written to me that he has on my behalf offered to you the position of Assistant Professor in the Department of Political Economy at a salary of $2500 to begin on July 1st, 1919. The salary is subject to an annual deduction of 5% which goes towards an annuity in connection with the Teachers' Insurance and Annuity Association instituted under the auspices of the Carnegie Foundation. After two years regular service the University adds thereto an amount equal to 5% of the salary. As you have already been more than two years in the employ of the University the contribution of the University will begin at once.

I am sorry that I am unable to give you any definite information yet as to what annual increment there will be on the salary. This matter will be discussed by the Governors next autumn and the result will depend upon the attitude that the Government will take with regard to the rapidly increasing expenditure of the University. As you know at present the annual increment is $100.

I hope that you will find congenial work in the University if you decide to return. You do not come back to us

a stranger, and there is of course a large circle of friends who will be glad to see you.

With kind regards, I am,

Yours sincerely,

President.